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PART I. SIGNIFICANT PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS

B. NEW TARGETS AND SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

ZZZ01:PROB NAVAL 37/57MM AA GUNS SGM:NONE CTY:VN 205132N1064038E
TWO PROBABLE NAVAL 37/57MM SINGLE MOUNT AA GUNS ARE LOCATED
SSW OF THE HAIPHONG NAVAL BASE AT UTM XJ744076. THE WEAPONS
SERVICEABLE AND ARE LOCATED IN AN OLD SIX-POSITION AAA SITE.
SINGLE-MOUNTED 37MM AA GUNS ARE KNOWN ARMAMENT FOR THE SHANGHAI
PTF AND SWATOW PGM. AT LEAST ONE SWATOW PGM HAS BEEN OBSERVED
STRIPPED IN NORTH VIETNAMESE WATERS. (BB)

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ZZZ02:ARMED PROB CHICOM LCM (MK-6) SGM:NONE CTY:VN 205150N106405
THE TWO ARMED LCMS REPORTED IN REF A, ITEM 4 ARE PROBABLE CHINESE
COMMUNIST LANDING CRAFT. THE STACK/VENT AFT AND THE LOCATION OF
THE GUN MOUNTS ARE TYPICAL OF CHICOM CONSTRUCTION OR MODIFICATION
OF THIS TYPE VESSEL. THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE CHICOM LCM ARE
REPORTED TO BE SIMILAR TO THE U.S. LCM (MK-6) AFTER WHICH IT WAS
COPIED. HOWEVER, THE U.S. LCM (MK-6) IS NOT ARMED. (BB)

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PART II. OTHER PHOTO INTERPRETATIONS - NONE
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